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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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and Correspondents.

BLOOMFIELD BRIEF NOTES.

Five new gas lamps have been erected on Highland avenue.

Mr. F. H. Pile has returned after a long sojourn in the Adirondacks.

Work has commenced on Mr. Cavanagh's new house on Orange street.

Mr. Willard Richards has returned home after an extended tour in Mexico.

The Beehive stores in Newark will be closed on Monday next, on account of Labor Day.

Mr. Thomas Taylor, an old resident of Bloomfield, had a severe stroke of paralysis on Tuesday.

The Bloomfield Bicycle Club have vacated the room recently occupied by them on Broad street.

Mr. Joseph D. Gallagher has been appointed Township Counsel of the Township of Livingston.

Mr. George Slater returned on Thursday from a business trip to Boston and other New England cities.

Eleven interments were made in the Bloomfield cemetery during the month of August, of these only three were residents of Bloomfield.

Mr. Amzi Griffin left Bloomfield very suddenly last week. None of his friends were informed of his intention to leave, not even his wife.

The grocery firm of Hemstreet & Harrison have purchased the butcher business of Charles V. Svenson, which will hereafter be carried on by them.

The fifteenth annual convention of National Association of Fire Engineers' Association will convene at Atlanta, Georgia, on Tuesday, September 20th.

Nearly \$25,000 is the amount now invested in homes by the Essex County Building and Loan Association instead of \$9,000 as was stated in a late issue.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the Glen Ridge Post Office, Sept. 1st: Adit, E. E.; Clark, Marshall; Dodd, Fredk.; Sheridan, Miss Lizzie; Zelf, Mrs. Minnie.

Assessor Samuel Baxter has notified the superintendent of the cemetery grounds, that under no circumstances must burials be allowed without the legal permit.

Mr. Thomas Albion, Jr., has given up working at the hatching trade and now devotes his whole attention to the grocery business. The increasing trade necessitated this step.

The contract for building the culvert on Linden avenue has been awarded to Jacobus & Brown. Several culverts and bridges throughout the township are in need of repairs.

Frank Wilson, colored, was arrested on the corner of Bloomfield avenue and Washington street last Sunday evening by Officer Foster, for creating a disturbance in the street. Judge Hall sentenced Wilson to 30 days in jail.

Next Tuesday a meeting will be held at Newark under the auspices of Gen. E. L. Hayes, of Bloomfield, for the purpose of forming a State Association of ex-prisoners of the late war, and for the election of delegates to the annual convention at Chicago on September 23d.

When the butcher who supplies the family of Mr. William Hayes—who lives in the brick row on Newark avenue—called there on Monday morning, he was informed by Mrs. Hayes that she could not pay her bill as Mr. Hayes had deserted her and had taken with him all the available funds. It is rumored that Mr. Hayes has gone to England.

On Wednesday next, Abbey's Double Uncle Tom's Cabin company will appear in Library Hall, Bloomfield. It is the same company that was here about one year ago, and on which occasion the hall was filled. There is no doubt this place and this particular company can draw more people than any similar company on the road.

Attention is called to local private schools advertised in our columns by Miss Henrietta Northall, of Glen Ridge, and Mr. J. G. McVicar, of Montclair. Miss Northall has added a branch primary class to her school to be located at Glen Ridge. Those desiring to send their children to either of the above schools should make application at once.

Newport & Heart, the Spruce street lumber dealers, are reaping their share of the business in Bloomfield. They supply the materials used in the three houses being built by Mr. Gallagher at Glen Ridge, and also for the new house now going up on the corner of East Park Place

and Monroe Place for Dr. Wilson. They supply any materials wanted by carpenters and masons at city prices.

Labor Inspector of Factories, L. T. Fell, has called the attention of Newark Police Officials to the compulsory education laws, one of the provisions of which is, "that parents and guardians shall send children between the ages of seven and twelve years to a public school for a period of at least twenty weeks in a year. There is a penalty of a fine or imprisonment for non-compliance with the law."

Broad street is to be macadamized about 1,000 feet further North from Mr. Henry Lindenmeyr's South gate. Mr. Lindenmeyr has made a donation of \$500 to have this work done, and some additional subscriptions have been made by residents of Brookdale and vicinity. This makes an addition of nearly 6,000 feet in a continuous line from where the macadam stopped last year, and should be continued to Brookdale another year if possible.

Mr. Martin Hogan, who carries the mail between the Post Office and the Greenwood Lake station, was seriously injured last Saturday. He was thrown from his wagon in front of the Carl building, his horse having started off and turned suddenly as Mr. Hogan was gathering up the reins. He fell heavily and was taken up insensible and carried into Dr. Simpson's office, who restored him to consciousness, and had him conveyed in a carriage to his home on Spruce street. Mr. Hogan is now slowly improving.

The new gasometer being built on the Montclair and Bloomfield line will be completed in two weeks. The gasometer is 82 feet in diameter, 23 feet in depth, and has a capacity of 110,000 cubic feet. Messrs. Ritey & Fowler are the builders. The work is being done under the personal inspection of Supt. Causbrook. The new building being erected on the premises by the company, will be occupied by Mr. Harry Hampson who will have charge of all fixtures connected with the new plant. The gas company are expending about thirty thousand dollars in this new enterprise.

The Schools Open Next Week.

The Bloomfield Public Schools will re-open on Monday, the 5th inst. Extensive improvements have been carried out in the Grammar and High School building. All the interior woodwork has been painted, grained and varnished. The walls and cornices have been painted, organs, teachers' desks and furniture in the visitors' room revarnished, the wall of the latter handsomely papered. This work has been done by Mr. D. W. Smith. The teachers' platforms have all been carpeted. The floor of the visitors' room has been covered with a new ingrain carpet. The other school buildings have also been put in complete repair.

The following changes in the corps of teachers have been made: Miss R. Anna Baird, who was Principal of Brookdale School, will take Miss Margaret Knowlson's place in the Grammar Department. Miss Jennie Baird, from the Centre Primary is to take charge of the Brookdale School. Miss Hattie Dodd of Centre Primary takes Miss Sarah L. Cook's place in the 5th Grade, Grammar Dept.; Miss Lizzie Otis, from New York, Miss Dodd's place in the Centre Primary; Miss Van Camp, of Warren County, Miss Ella S. Wood's place in Centre Primary; Miss Eva Hall, a graduate of B. H. S., Miss Jennie Baird's place in Centre Primary; Miss Jayne of Orange Miss Alice N. Grovney's place at Brookdale.

Mr. John B. Dunbar will continue to fill the position of Principal. Special teachers will be employed to give instruction in music, free-hand drawing and penmanship.

Lodges and Societies.

The night of September 14th is set down for a gala one among the members of the K. of H. order. Lodges from Montclair, Caldwell, Verona, Paterson, Orange, Newark, Elizabeth, Belleville, Passaic, and Franklin will meet with Excelsior Lodge on that night.

On Tuesday evening Eureka Lodge No. 46 K. of P., was visited by a large delegation from Olive Branch Lodge of Elizabeth. A very pleasant evening was spent.

A well attended meeting of Excelsior Lodge No. 2342 K. of H., was held on Wednesday evening, P. G. D., Samuel Klotz of Newark; P. D., J. P. Baker and other grand and supreme officers were present. A very interesting evening was spent. Speeches were made by Messrs. Klotz, Baker and Corby.

Fire Department.

Compared with reports received from fifty-nine fire departments throughout the State, Bloomfield department ranks first in financial condition and economical administration.

The representatives of the different fire companies constituting the Relief Association met in the Truck House, Wednesday night. The Essex Truck Company was represented by John Zabriskie and F. G. Tower; Phoenix Hose No. 1 by J. B. Reford; Active No. 2 not represented; Excelsior Hose No. 3, P. Fornoff and Wm. Rawson. The treasurer reported about \$1,200 in the treasury, which was invested in first-class securities.

A. J. Marsh, F. G. Tower and P. Fornoff will represent the Bloomfield fire department at the annual convention of firemen to be held in New Brunswick in the latter part of this month.

Subscribe for THE CITIZEN.

Mrs. Spear's Sudden Death

From The Enquirer-Sun, Columbus, Ga., Aug. 18.

Mrs. T. S. Spear died suddenly yesterday afternoon from an attack of apoplexy.

Before the attack Mrs. Spear was in perfect health, and her strong and vigorous constitution, which she had always enjoyed, gave promise of many more years of usefulness. She was stricken while at the dinner table about 2 o'clock. In the company of the members of the family who were here she was chatting pleasantly, and appeared to be in unusually happy mood when the shock came. From the first it was evident that the stroke would prove fatal. She never regained consciousness, and after lingering about two hours she died. Everything that loving and willing hands could do was rendered to soothe her dying moments, and thus, under the zealous ministrations of loving children, she calmly and peacefully passed to the great beyond.

Mrs. Spear was one of the noblest of Christian women. Uniting early in life with the Presbyterian church, she was characterized by earnest devotion to her Master. Ever pious and with charity toward all, she won friendship, love and respect of all who knew her and she will be sadly missed by this entire community, before whom her life was a bright example of Christian deeds. Particularly she will be missed by the poor, who have always found in her a true friend, whose benefactions have cheered and encouraged many a sinking heart with renewed life and hope. Those who more intimately knew her say that she was one of the best of women. However heavy the cross she had to bear she was always serene and even-tempered.

Her maiden name was Miss Sarah Dodd, and she was born in Bloomfield, New Jersey, on September 16, 1827. She was married in that city to Mr. T. S. Spear on May 20, 1846, and moved to this city in 1857, where the family have resided since. Her husband and the following children survive her: Mr. Charles Spear, of Montgomery; Mr. Horace P. Spear and Mrs. F. A. Silcox, of Charleston; Mrs. George H. Waddell, of Birmingham; and Mrs. Tombs Howard and Miss Sallie Spear, of this city.

Church Notes.

The subject of the sermon at the Baptist church by the pastor next Sunday evening will be Divine Truth as illustrated in the life of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism.

St Paul's P. E. church, Watessing, will remain closed one week longer.

At the reunion of the 125th N. Y. Vols., held at Troy, N. Y., Tuesday, Aug. 30th, the historical address was delivered by Rev. E. D. Simons, chaplain of the regiment. By desire of the regiment he is to prepare a history in full to be published in book form. The book will appear soon.

On Sunday next the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church will be occupied by Rev. George W. Knox, nephew of Rev. Chas. E. Knox. Rev. Mr. Knox has been for ten years a missionary in Japan, and was recently connected with the college Tokio in that country.

Rev. J. Munroe, of the Park M. E. church, has returned home and will occupy his own pulpit on Sunday. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

John Dugan, William Kain, James Dean and a woman named Rosa, engaged in an altercation of a disorderly nature, on Saturday night. Officers conveyed the whole party before Judge Hall, who sentenced the men to pay a fine of \$10 each, of go to jail for thirty days. Dugan and Kane paid their fine. Dean was unable to raise the money and was taken to jail. Rosa, who is a frequent offender and who the day before had just been liberated from jail, having served a term of thirty days, was sentenced to ninety days in jail.

D. H. Patty, a prominent nurseryman in Geneva, N. Y., has written inquiring where he can find a few good reliable men to select orders. He wishes men to canvass and take orders for Trees, Shrubs and Vines for fall delivery and promises steady employment to good salesmen. If any of our readers desire a good position we would advise them to write to Mr. Patty for particulars. Address with reference, D. H. Patty, Nurseryman, Geneva, New York.

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